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Mr. Donald Welsh Regional Administrator U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region III 1650 Arch Street Philadelphia, PA 19103-2029

Dear Mr. Welsh:

Enclosed for your approval is a revision to the Pennsylvania State Implementation Plan for the Philadelphia Ozone Nonattainment Area which was subject to a public comment period closing January 10, 2003.

The revision revised the area's motor vehicle emissions budgets using the MOVILE6 model. This is done to satisfy EPA's requirement to submit revised budgets within one year of the Notice of Availability of the MOBILE6 highway vehicle emissions model. The Notice was published in the *Federal Register* on January 29, 2002.

Should you have questions regarding this submission, contact Joyce E. Epps, Bureau of Air

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